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To: Members of the staff

From: The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management

Subject: **Designation of special missions or locations for purposes of occasional recuperation break**

1. In accordance with section 2.4 of administrative instruction ST/AI/2000/21 (as amended by ST/AI/2004/6, effective 1 January 2005), entitled "Occasional recuperation break" (ORB), and following consultations with the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, the present circular is issued to inform staff members that, in 2006, the special missions or locations designated for ORB purposes are as follows:

- BONUCA (Central African Republic)
- MINURSO
- MINUSTAH (Haiti)
- MONUC (Democratic Republic of the Congo)
- ONUCI (Côte d'Ivoire)
- UNAMA (Afghanistan)
- UNAMI (Iraq)
- UNAMIS (Sudan)
- UNAMSIL (Sierra Leone)
- UNMEE (Eritrea, including Asmara, and border areas between Ethiopia and Eritrea)
- UNMIK (Kosovo province)
- UNMIL (Liberia)
- UNOB (Burundi)
- UNOGBIS (Guinea-Bissau)

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- UNOMIG (Georgia)
- UNOTIL (Timor-Leste)
- UNSCO (Gaza City and Ramallah)
- UNTOP (Tajikistan)

2. Designation for ORB purposes is valid for 2006. The list set out in paragra above may be amended in the event of significant changes in the mis environment during the course of the year.